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August 7, 1945

To Captain Laurence C. Upton, Acting Chief
Maine State Police

Subject: Pin*Ball Game

I have your memo of August 2nd, asking the question:

"If the owner of a "Pin-Ball" Game allows free games
as a prize, would this be considered gambling?"

In answer to this question, I will say that in my
opinion this allowing another game is not a prize within the
meaning of the statute where the game is operated for amusement
only.

Ralph W. Farris
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